

New law, contained in Title 17 (Education) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, legislates with regard to classifications of parishes, municipalities, or other political subdivisions or local areas according to population by limiting the application of laws based upon specific classifications to one or more parishes, municipalities, or other political subdivisions or local areas, by adjusting the population ranges affected by the 2010 census, and by repealing certain provisions based upon certain population classification ranges, as follows:

CITATION/ TOPIC	PRIOR LAW	AFFECTED LOCATIONS	NEW LAW
R.S. 17:7(18) - Pilot program to identify school systems with student test scores below the national average	City or parish with a population of 475,000 +	Orleans Parish (1990, 2000 census)	Repeal
R.S. 17:29(B) - Employment of social workers in public schools	Parish with a population of 475,000 +	Orleans Parish (2000 census)	Municipality having a population of 300,000 +
R.S. 17:65 - Election of school board members in 2007 instead of 2006	Parish with a population of 9,700 - 10,000	Cameron Parish (2000 census)	Repeal as obsolete
R.S. 17:81(L) - Pilot program for the use of appropriate metal detection devices	City or parish with a population of 475,000 +	Orleans Parish (1990, 2000 census)	Repeal
R.S. 17:84.01(A) - Terms of assistant superintendents	School district with a population of 425,000 +	Orleans and Jefferson parishes (both 1990, 2000 census)	Municipality having a population of 300,000 +
R.S. 17:85.4(intro. para.) - Naming of a curriculum center by certain school boards	Parish with a population of 191,000 - 225,000	St. Tammany Parish (2000 census)	St. Tammany Parish
R.S. 17:85.6(intro. para.) - Naming of a headstart and community center by certain school boards	Parish with a population of 31,300 - 31,600	Jefferson Davis Parish (2000 census)	Jefferson Davis Parish
R.S. 17:85.13(intro. para.) - Naming of a stadium by certain school boards	Parish with a population of 300,000 +	East Baton Rouge, Jefferson, and Orleans parishes (2000 census)	East Baton Rouge, Jefferson, and Orleans parishes
R.S. 17:85.14(intro. para.) - Naming of a performing arts center by school boards	Parish with a population of 200,000 +	Caddo, East Baton Rouge, Jefferson, and Orleans parishes (2000 census)	Caddo, East Baton Rouge, Jefferson, and Orleans parishes

R.S. 17:154.1(A)(4) - Length of the school day and year for 2002-2003 school year	Parish with a population of 475,000 +	Orleans Parish (2000 census)	Repeal as obsolete
R.S. 17:179(A) - Authorizes student identification badges by school boards	Parish with a population of 120,000 - 135,000	Rapides Parish (1990, 2000 census)	Rapides Parish
R.S. 17:221.2(A)(2) - School boards to assign students to high schools upon parents' requests	Parish with a population of 144,000 - 160,000	St. Tammany Parish (1990, 2000 census); Ouachita Parish (2000 census)	St. Tammany Parish
R.S. 17:222(C)(3) - School boards to adopt different first grade entrance age requirements	Parish with a population of 450,000 +	Orleans Parish (1990, 2000 census); Jefferson Parish (2000 census)	Orleans and Jefferson parishes
R.S. 17:422(C) - Additional compensation for certain school employees	Parish or municipality with a population of 475,000 +	Orleans Parish (1990, 2000 census)	Municipality with a population of 300,000 +
R.S. 17:431 - Salaries paid to school administrative personnel	Parish or municipality with a population of 475,000 +	Orleans Parish (1990, 2000 census)	Municipality with a population of 300,000 +
R.S. 17:525(A)(1) - Promotion of school employees other than teachers	School district with a population of 425,000 +	Orleans Parish (1970, 1980, 1990, 2000 census)	None; cross-reference makes it applicable only to the Orleans Parish School Board
R.S. 17:1371(A)(5)(a) - Enlargement of school districts (created for taxing purposes)	Parish with a population of 15,000 - 20,000	Bienville, Claiborne, Grant, Jackson, and Winn parishes (all 1990, 2000 census); East Feliciana and West Baton Rouge parishes (both 1990 census); West Feliciana Parish (2000 census)	Bienville, Claiborne, East Feliciana, Grant, Jackson, West Baton Rouge, West Feliciana, and Winn parishes
R.S. 17:1805(E) - Authority of certain university/college police officers	Municipality with a population of 250,000 +	City of New Orleans (1970, 1980, 1990, 2000 census)	City of New Orleans

R.S. 17:3048.1(C)(4) - Relative to TOPS, provides eligibility requirements for a dependent student who graduated during the 2001-2002 or 2002-2003 school years	Parish with a population of 41,600 - 42,400	Webster Parish (2000 census)	Repeal as obsolete
R.S. 17:3991(B)(1)(b)(ii) - Pupil enrollment requirements for Types 2, 3, and 4 charter schools	Parish with a population of 20,500 - 21,000	Richland Parish (2000 census)	Richland Parish
R.S. 17:4013(1)(c) - Student Scholarships for Educational Excellence Program; definition of a "covered district"	Parish with a population of 475,000+	Orleans Parish (2000 census)	Municipality with a population of 300,000 +

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(Amends R.S. 17:29(B), 84.01(A), 85.4(intro. para.), 85.6(intro. para.), 85.13(intro. para.), 85.14(intro. para.), 179(A), 221.2(A)(2), 222(C)(3), 422(C), 431, 525(A)(1), 1371(A)(5)(a), 1805(E), 3991(B)(1)(b)(ii), and 4013(1)(c); repeals R.S. 17:7(18), 65, 81(L), 154.1(A)(4), and 3048.1(C)(4))